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**Committee Bill No. 664**

LCO No. 3387

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Referred to Committee on Select Committee on Aging

Introduced by:  
(AGE)

**AN ACT CONCERNING BILLING FOR ASSISTED LIVING SERVICES  
COVERED BY LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 19a-699 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2009*):

3 (a) An assisted living services agency shall develop and maintain an  
4 individualized service plan for any resident of a managed residential  
5 community that receives assisted living services. Such agency shall  
6 develop the individualized service plan after consultation with the  
7 resident and following an assessment of the resident by a registered  
8 nurse. The individualized service plan shall set forth in lay terms the  
9 needs of the resident for assisted living services, the providers or  
10 intended providers of needed services, the scope, type and frequency  
11 of such services, an itemized cost of such services and any other  
12 information that Department of Public Health may require. The  
13 individualized service plan and any periodic revisions thereto shall be  
14 confidential, in writing, signed by the resident, or the resident's legal  
15 representative, and a representative of the assisted living services  
16 agency and available for inspection by the resident and the

17 department.

18 (b) An assisted living services agency shall maintain written policies  
 19 and procedures for the initial evaluation and regular, periodic  
 20 reassessment of the functional and health status and service  
 21 requirements of each resident who requires assisted living services.

22 (c) An assisted living services agency shall bill an insurer directly  
 23 for services provided to a resident that are reimbursable under the  
 24 resident's long-term care insurance policy.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2009	19a-699

**Statement of Purpose:**

To permit direct billing of long-term care insurance companies for assisted living expenses and services that are covered under policies issued by such companies.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*

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